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SUBJECT: ULSTER, UDI AND EEC MEMBERSHIP

1. FRAGMENTARY REPORTS REACHING BELFAST OF ACTIVITIES
TWO NORTHERN IRELAND GROUPS VISITING EC CAPITALS. ONE
REPORT ORIGINATING LUXEMBOURG HAS GROUP OF NORTHERN IRELAND
LOCAL GOVERNMENT COUNCILLORS BEING TOLD BY EEC OFFICIALS
THAT INDEPENDENCE IN ITSELF WOULD NOT RPT NOT BE BAR TO
NORTHERN IRELAND MEMBERSHIP IN COMMUNITY SO LONG AS NO
OTHER MEMBER SUCH AS U.K. OR IRELAND OPPOSED MEMBERSHIP.
SECOND REPORT ORIGINATING BRUSSELS IS TO EFFECT GROUP
NORTHERN IRELAND BUSINESSMEN NEGOTIATING LOANS FOR EXPANSION
INCLUDING SHORT BROTHERS AND HARLAND AIRCRAFT TOLD THAT
OUTSTANDING LOANS COULD BE CALLED IMMEDIATELY SHOULD U.K.
LEAVE EEC.

2. ANY DETAILS OF CIRCUMSTANCES IN WHICH DISCUSSION OF
INDEPENDENT NORTHERN IRELAND TRANSPIRED WOULD BE WELCOMED.
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